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Canyon Fuel Company, LLC **Dugout Canyon Mine** P.O. Box 1029 Wellington, Utah 84542

January 31, 2011

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RE:

Notice of Violation #10072, Fine Assessment and Abatement Action

Dugout Canyon Mine, Canyon Fuel Company, LLC, C/007/039, Carbon County, Utah

Dear Daron:

Under R645-400-142 we are requesting a copy of the information on which the Division is basing the allegations of "a failure to protect surface-water quality by allowing ground-water discharge to contribute additional suspended solids to streamflow outside the permit area; and otherwise prevent water pollution" in the Notice of Violation #10072.

We are aware that water samples were taken during the December 16, 2010 field inspection and would like a copy of the laboratory analyses for those samples and any subsequent samples included as part of the information requested.

We would appreciate your mailing the information in the attached self-addressed envelope or at . your request we will gladly pick the information up at the Division's Salt Lake office. Please leave a message at (435)636-2869 if you would like to have the information picked up.

If you have questions or need clarification of what has been written, please call me at (435)636-2869.

Sincerely yours,

Vicky S. Miller

CC:

Dave Spillman Chris Hansen Steve Christensen

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